

CDC Evaluation Fellowship Program: 2015-16 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, Atlanta, GA



The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) seeks applicants for the 2015-16 class of the CDC Evaluation Fellowship Program. This is the 5th year of this initiative, and represents a major commitment by CDC to program evaluation and program improvement. Fellows will work under the leadership of CDC's Chief Evaluation Officer; they will be matched with CDC host programs to work on program evaluation activities for/with those programs. Host programs will be selected through a competitive process to ensure the activities will both build the knowledge base of the program and enhance the professional development of the Fellow.

Details about the Fellowship, stipends, qualifications, and deadlines are available at the link below. Brief information is as follows:

- The ideal candidate has a Doctoral degree in evaluation, social sciences, public health, or another STEM discipline, and with significant coursework in program evaluation and measurement. Master's-level candidates from these same disciplines and with significant experience in applied evaluation projects are also encouraged to apply.
- Fellowships are for one year, with strong likelihood of renewal for a second year.
- Fellows receive a monthly stipend depending on education level and experience.
- Fellows receive substantial financial support for their training and professional development, and a supplement to offset health insurance costs.
- Appointments will be full-time at CDC, typically in the Atlanta, Georgia area. Fellows do not become employees of CDC.
- Candidates must have received their qualifying degree within the past five years.
- Qualifying degree must be complete and on transcript by June 30, 2015.
- We expect to select approximately 5-10 Fellows for this cohort.

To apply, submit your resume/CV by April 30, 2015 (see link below).

- There will be a preliminary screening of resumes.
- Applicants passing the initial screening will be asked to submit the supplementary information below. Deadlines for this information will be tight, so you should be prepared to submit quickly.
 - 1. Essay (400 word maximum) on interests, strengths, and qualifications for the Evaluation Fellowship and what you would like to get from the Fellowship.
 - 2. Information on (up to) three recent evaluation projects or experiences.

Timeline

- We will select semi-finalist Fellows and host programs in mid-May.
- Host programs will conduct interviews in May and June.
- Fellow selections will be made in late June.
- Fellows MUST start by August 17, 2015.

For more information and to apply: https://www.zintellect.com/Posting/Details/827
For questions, email CDCeval@cdc.gov.

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